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SUBJECT: EASTERN AIRLINES PLANS FOR LIAT

REF: BRIDGETOWN 1730

1. COLLINS OF EASTERN AIRLINES INFORMED DEPARTMENT ON OCTOBER 10 THAT EAL HAS RULED OUT CONSIDERATION OF ELECTRA SERVICE IN CARIBBEAN ON ECONOMIC GROUNDS. HE MENTIONED THAT LOAD FACTORS WOULD HAVE TO BE 120 PERCENT TO JUSTIFY FLIGHTS.

2. AS AN ALTERNATIVE, EAL PLANS TO PROPOSE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PACKAGE TO LIAT. THIS WOULD INCLUDE HELP IN SCHEDULING AND IN OTHER FIELDS. WHEN PACKAGE FIRMED-UP, EAL PLANS TO MAKE PROPOSAL TO APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT MINISTERS OF CARIB ISLANDS SERVED BY LIAT. WE HAVE NO FURTHER DETAILS ON COMPOSITION OF TA PACKAGE AT THIS TIME.

3. ON OCTOBER 9, 1974 COLLINS AND OTHER EAL EXECUTIVES MET MOFFETT IN MIAMI. COLLINS SAID HE WAS SURPRISED THAT

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MOFFETT DISPLAYED KNOWLEDGE OF EAL PLAN TO INVITE ALL CON-

CERNED CARIB MINISTERS TO MIAMI AT SAME TIME FOR PRESENTA-
TION OF EAL PLAN. MOFFETT DISCOURAGED THE MOVE STATING
THAT IT COULD ONLY ACCENTUATE DIFFERENCES AMONG
THE RESPECTIVE PARTICIPANTS. EAL APPARENTLY NOW SOLD ON
DEALING WITH CARIB MINISTERS INDIVIDUALLY. INGERSOLL

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